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Dear Alex Scott,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request.

I have carefully reviewed your request and investigated whether there is any information available for disclosure to you. Please find below the Trust's response:

This is a Freedom of Information request regarding costs related to the integration of, and implementation of, the Federated Data Platform (FDP) at the Trust.

Please can you provide the exact costs covered directly by the Trust (or if local costs are covered by the NHS North West London Integrated Care Board (ICB) then please refer to those) related to integration and implementation costs for the Federated Data Platform since the beginning of the rollout.

These would be costs that were not covered by the original FDP contract between NHSE and Palantir (as the main provider alongside other associated private companies). These costs could include extra costs covered by NHSE that were not originally planned for in the FDP contract but which were needed for the implementation of the FDP at the Trust.

Costs covered directly by the Trust related to the FDP in 2024/25 were £452,653. The Trust did not incur any direct costs in previous years.

I trust that this deals with your enquiry to your satisfaction, but if you feel that Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust has misunderstood or not responded appropriately to your request, you have two courses of action:

- You can clarify the terms of your original request to allow this to be looked at again (if you expand your request this will be dealt with as a new request)
- All applicants have the right of appeal. An appeal should be focused on the original request and should identify how the Trust's response failed to answer your information request. Appeals must be made in writing to the FOI Manager at the address above, and within 40 days of the Trust's response.

After the Trust's internal appeals procedure has been exhausted, a further appeal about the same information request can be directed to the Information Commissioner for adjudication. Appeals to the Information Commissioner should be sent for review to the following address:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
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Website: www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints
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Please contact me again, quoting your reference number, if you require any further assistance with your current request and I will do my best to provide the relevant help and advice.

Yours sincerely

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